

É FULBRIGHT Scholar Program



Fulbright Opportunities for International Education Administrators in Japan

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A Brief History

- Established in 1946 by Congress, Fulbright is the United States government's flagship international educational and cultural exchange program.
- Sponsored by the U.S. Department of State with funding provided by the U.S. Government and administered by the Institute of International Education.







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Fulbright IEA Seminar Offerings

Country	Professional Profile	Application Deadline	Final Notification	Grant Timing
India	International education and senior-level administrators	August 1, 2019	December 2019	March 2020
Taiwan	Study abroad advisors or senior-level administrators	September 16, 2019	February 2020	April 2020
Russia	Community college administrators	October 15, 2019	January 2020	April 2020
Japan	International education and senior-level administrators	November 1, 2019	February 2020	June 2020
France	Senior-level university administrators	February 3, 2020	May 2020	October 2020
Germany	Experienced administrators	February 3, 2020	May 2020	October 2020



Eligibility for IEA Programs



- U.S. citizenship
- Ph.D. or other terminal degree not required
- Appropriate professional experience and accomplishments
- Additional requirements vary by awards
- New policies on previous Fulbright Scholar grants and waiting periods between grants



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Japan

Professional Profile:

- International education administrators
- Senior-level university administrators
- Minimum of five years of experience

Key Highlight:

- This award is considered an institutional capacity building grant.
- Deadline: November 1, 2019
- Grant Dates: June 9-22, 2020 (Tentative)
- 10087-JA Award Description







Selecting the Right Award

- O How has your campus been working to internationalize itself?
- Does your institution have any plans to increase cooperation with any of the IEA Seminar countries?
- Are there institutional goals to increase the number of students from any country?
- What is your professional profile?





Application Resources

Fulbright Scholar Program website and Catalog of Awards

Apply

- Application
- Application Guidelines

Learn

- Webinars
- The Fulbright Scholar Blog

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Application Components

- Application Form
- Statement of Intent
- Curriculum Vitae or Resume
- Letters of Reference
- Additional components
 - Institutional Statement
- Need Help?
 - IEA Seminar Checklist and Instructions





Statement of Intent

- Your current job responsibilities and how they relate to this grant.
- The impact your participation would have on your career, professional development, home institution, and/or community.
- Why you have chosen this country?
- How you would share what you have learned with your home institution and others?
- How the IEA seminar would contribute to the international education goals of your institution?
- Award specific requirements!





Review Process and Timeline

NOV. 1 2019

Application Deadline

JANUARY 2020

Candidates are notified of recommended or non-recommended status

FEBRUARY 2020

Finalists Notified JUNE 2020

IEA Seminar Japan









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IEA Japan – 2017-2018



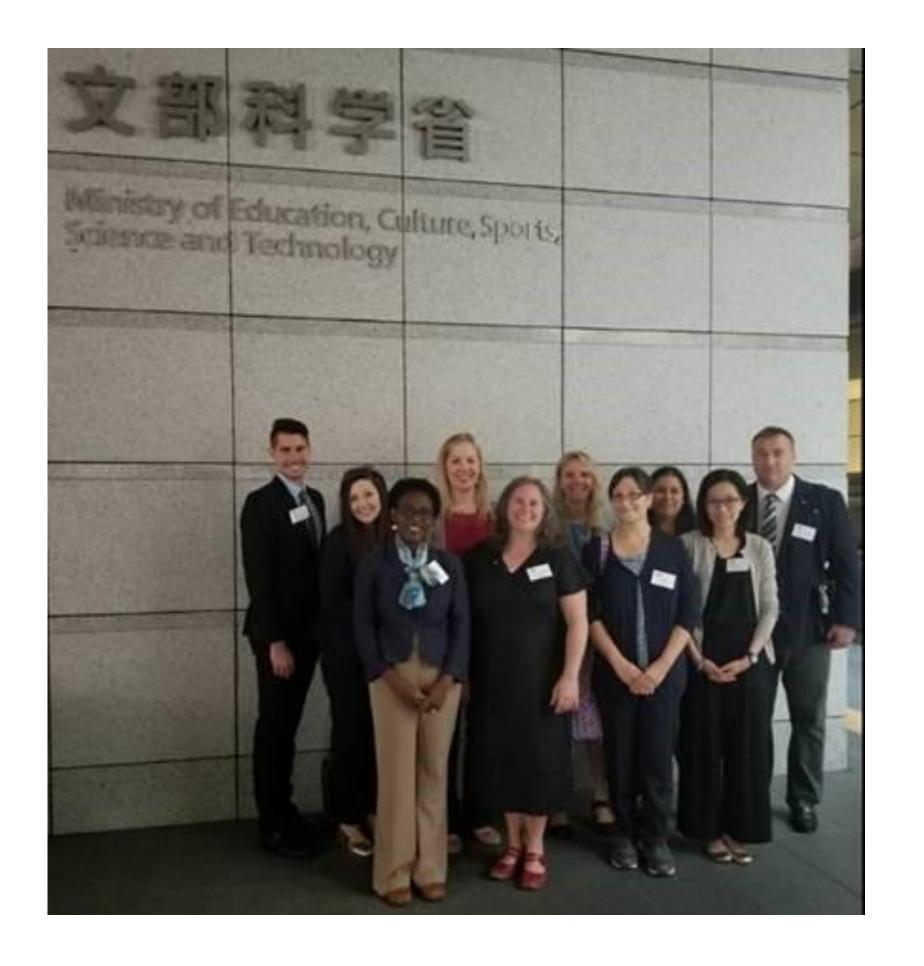






Preparing for the Program

- The Application
- Statement of Intent
- Institutional Statement







Timeline of Program

- What was the program like?
- Overall very packed schedule & lots of opportunities for learning

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6/12/2017	6/13/2017	6/14/2017	6/15/2017	6/16/2017	6/17/2017	6/18/2017
Japan – U.S. Educational Commission & Education USA briefing	Ministry of Education & University of Tokyo	Waseda University – All Day	Tsuda University & Train to Hiroshima	Hiroshima Shudo U. –All Day & Fulbright Reception	Miyajima Island & Peace Park w/ HSU students	Train to Kyoto Free time for Kiyomizudera Temple

Monday 6/19/2017	Tuesday 6/20/2017	Wednesday 6/21/2017	Thursday 6/22/2017	Friday 6/23/2017	Saturday 6/24/2017	Sunday 6/25/2017
Visit to Kyoto Seika University	Ryukoku University. & Train back to Tokyo	Roundtable with Meiji & Toyo Univs. PM with Recruiting Firm	Visit to Kokubunji High School; observe Eng classes for JPN students	Debriefing at Fulbright Commission (JUSEC) Center	End of Program – 50 page evaluations due Aug. 1 st	Fly home to U.S.

For an insight on the program from the executive director of Fulbright Japan Matthew Sussman, click here.







Post-Program Considerations

- Impact of the IEA Seminar to Japan
- Internationalization on campus
- Short-term goals
- Cong-term goals









Upcoming Webinars

IEA: Opportunities in France

IEA: Opportunities in Germany

Tuesday, December 3, 2019 Wednesday, December 4, 2019





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